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AMENDMENT TO MR. BARTON'S AMENDMENT TO

SUBTITLE A

OFFERED BY Mr. Barton

(Amendment to Medicaid Reconciliation Provisions)

(Page & line nos. refer to Amendment of October 26, 2005

12:12 PM)

In the proposed subtitle A, in section 1927(e)(2)(B) of the Social Security Act, as amended by section 3101(a), amend clause (i) [page 4, line 21 through page 5, line 10] to read as follows:

1	"(i) RAMP DEFINED.—The term
2	'RAMP' means, with respect to a covered
3	outpatient drug by a manufacturer for a
4	calendar quarter and subject to clause (ii)
5	and (iii), the average price paid to a manu-
6	facturer for the drug in the United States
7	in the quarter by wholesalers for drugs dis-
8	tributed to retail pharmacies, excluding
9	service fees that are paid by the manufac-
10	turer to an entity and that represent fair
11	market value for a bona-fide service pro-
12	vided by the entity.